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GOLDEN TREE MISSION 3843  
20 FEBRUARY 1964

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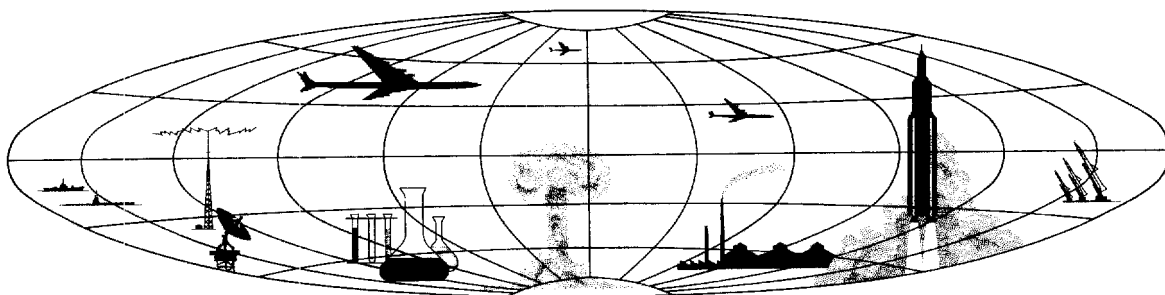


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PREFACE

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM GOLDEN TREE MISSION 3843, DATED 20 FEB 1964. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

SYMBOLS USED TO INDICATE CONDITIONS WHICH AFFECT THE APPEARANCE OF THE TARGET ON THE PHOTOGRAPHY ARE AS FOLLOWS -- C (CLEAR), SC (SCATTERED CLOUDS), HC (HEAVY CLOUDS), H (HAZE), CS (CLOUD SHADOW), SD (SEMIDARKNESS), O (OBLIQUITY), PQ (POOR IMAGE QUALITY).

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APPROXIMATE TRACK OF GOLDEN TREE MISSION 3843, 20 FEBRUARY 1964

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ITEMS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

THE MAJOR PORTION OF THE AREA SURROUNDING GUANTANAMO NAVAL BASE WAS CLOUD COVERED. NO UNUSUAL OR SUSPECT MILITARY ACTIVITY, VEHICLE CONCENTRATIONS, OR CONVOYS WERE OBSERVED IN VISIBLE PORTIONS OF THE SEARCH AREA.

THE PORT AREAS OF HAVANA AND MARIEL WERE CLOUD COVERED.

MISSILES

SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 2 2239N 07951W

SITE ABANDONED.  
NO ACTIVITY OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.



CIENFUEGOS SAM SITE 2202N 08024W

SIX UNRETTED LAUNCHERS, 14 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS (11 CANVAS COVERED AND 5 ADJACENT TO LAUNCHERS), 3 CANVAS-COVERED HOLD AREAS, 6 TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 8 CARGO TRUCKS, 5 VAN TRUCKS, ONE TRUCK-MOUNTED CRANE, 3 CARGO TRAILERS, AND A GUIDANCE AREA WITH RADAR AND CANVAS-COVERED EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.  
NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.



SAGUA LA GRANDE SAM SITE 2251N 08005W

SIX RETTTED LAUNCHERS (ONE CANVAS-COVERED) AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE RETTMENT OBSERVED. CLOUD SHADOW LIMITS INTERPRETATION.



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AIR FACILITIES

CAMILO CIENFUEGOS AIRFIELD 2229N 07955W

AIRCRAFT -- AT LEAST 7 FAGOT/FRESCO AND 5 PROBABLE  
HOUND OBSERVED.  
CLOUD SHADOW AND OBLIQUITY LIMIT INTERPRETATION.

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LOS CANOS AIRFIELD 2005N 07509W

AIRCRAFT -- ONE C-47.

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CORONEL PASCUAL AIRFIELD 2307N 08117W

AIRCRAFT -- AT LEAST ONE LIAISON AND 3 HOUND  
OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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NAVAL ACTIVITY/PORTS

CIENFUEGOS NAVAL BASE 2208N 08027W

VESSELS -- 2 KRONSTADT-CLASS PC, 6 P-6 MTB, ONE YP,  
AND 4 LARGE FREIGHTERS.  
ONE LARGE NON-SOVIET TENDR REMAINS ON CAYO LOCO.

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PUNTA ALEGRE PORT 2223N 07846W

NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.

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LA ISABELA PORT 2256N 08000W

VESSELS -- TWO LARGE FREIGHTERS (ONE WITH LIGHTER

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ALONGSIDE) OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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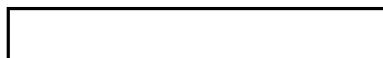


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CAIBARIEN PORT 2231N 07928W

NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.

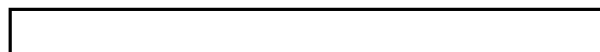
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CASILDA PORT 2145N 07959W

NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

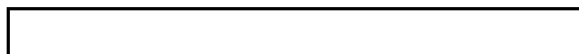
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BAHIA HONDA PORT 2255N 08310W

NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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KAWAMA MARINA 2307N 08117W

VESSELS -- ONE PROBABLE P-6 MTB.

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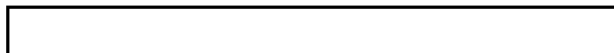


MILITARY ACTIVITY

REMEDIOS MILITARY AREA 2227N 07935W

MAIN CAMP -- FIFTY-NINE VEHICLES AND 8 POSSIBLE FA  
PIECES OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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JURAGUA MILITARY ACTIVITY 2209N 08035W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.  
THIRTEEN CARGO TRUCKS AND 16 FA PIECES OBSERVED.

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LA JUTIA MILITARY INSTALLATION 2154N 08015W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.  
THIRTEEN CARGO TRUCKS OBSERVED.

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TRINIDAD AREA POSS MIL HEADQUARTERS 2150N 07953W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.  
EIGHT CARGO TRUCKS, 2 POSSIBLE CARGO TRUCKS AND AT  
LEAST 15 FA PIECES OBSERVED.

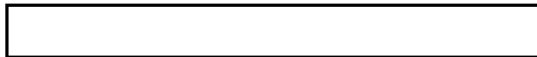
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ANTON RECIO MILITARY INSTALLATION 2211N 08036W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.  
TWENTY-ONE TANKS/SP GUNS, 9 CARGO TRUCKS AND 3 OTHER  
VEHICLES.  
THE 6-GUN AAA SITE REMAINS OCCUPIED.

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JAGUA MILITARY AREA 2205N 08029W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.  
EIGHTEEN CARGO TRUCKS AND ONE OTHER VEHICLE OBSERVED.

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-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS OBSERVED-

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO APPARENT CHANGE  
SINCE LAST COVERAGE--

JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD	2209N 08024W
TRINIDAD AIRFIELD	2147N 07959W
CIENFUEGOS LANDING BEACH	2202N 08036W
ENSENADA COLORADO LANDING BEACH	2202N 08025W

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THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT  
NOT INTERPRETED--

MATANZAS SAM SITE	2301N 08129W
SANTA CLARA SAM SITE	2229N 08000W
JUCARO PORT	2137N 07851W
GUANTANAMO AREA	2018N 07525W
CANTEL MILITARY CAMP	2302N 08119W
SANTA CLARA MILITARY CAMP CUBANACAN	2224N 07952W
PLAYA YATERITAS LANDING BEACH	1958N 07457W
VARADERO LANDING BEACH	2308N 08118W

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